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BUSINESS MEN GIVE \$599.50 TO RED CROSS

Many Rural Areas
Give Liberally To
Red Cross Fund

A total of \$599.50 has been contributed to the Red Cross Fund Drive by West Liberty business and professional people, Rev. Fred Pennington, chairman for this section of the drive, reported Thursday.

A report of the house-to-house solicitation in West Liberty has not been received yet by the fund drive chairman, Mrs. H. B. Murray.

Liberal contributions have been coming to the Red Cross from the rural areas of Morgan county. The people are giving to the Red Cross program for its work in providing blood for the armed forces and home use, gamma globulin for polio, information for our service men in emergency and relief in disaster.

Ezel and Relief Report

Mrs. Marple Fannin of Ezel solicited \$15 as follows: \$3 from Henry Watson, \$2 each from Mrs. Nora Watson and Joe Trimble, \$1 each from Sam Collinsworth, W. O. Nickell, Bill Murphy, Mrs. Rebecca Spradling, Elwood Motley, Mrs. W. R. Motley, and Mrs. Fannin, 50c each from Reed Murphy and Arthur Lawson.

Mrs. Emerson Hill of Relief sent in \$20.01 collected as follows: \$2 each from Emerson Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brown; \$1 each from Edith Hill, Oval Ferguson, Shelby Williams, A. J. Hamilton, J. W. Hill, Lonnie Hill, Ruby Isom, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sherman, Pilot Fyffe, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hutchinson; Jack Burchett 32c, Lonnie Ferguson 50c, Esta Hill 25c, Lloyd Hill 45c, Carrie Hill 50c, Edna Hill 56c, Nora Blanton 50c, Dixie Williams 50c, Maude Holbrook 35c, Mrs. Ray Hill 58c and Mary Ferguson 50c.

Elkfork and Elamton

Mrs. Bertie Adkins of Elkfork sent in \$4 made up of \$2.56 from Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adkins, \$1.54 from Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fannin, 50c each from Mrs. Annie Fannin and James Adkins, 25c from Bill O'Neal and 19c from Mary A. Hutchinson.

Clarence Smith of Jephtha gave \$5. Bee Pelfrey of Elamton said he worked one hour. He brought in \$12.50, which he collected as follows: \$1 each from Bee Pelfrey, Sam O'Neal, Mrs. Hager Hamilton, Mrs. Susie Pelfrey, Buck Williams, Dora Mullins, Simon Williams, Woodrow Williams, Less Branham, W. Bradley and Houston C. Wright; 50c each from Zettie Williams, Mrs. Polly Pelfrey and Tom Pelfrey.

Zag, Pomp and Sand Lick

Howard Standafer of Zag reported \$10 given by \$2 each from Howard Standafer, Clyde Lewis and Tony Law; \$1 each from Lawrence Conley, H. B. Cox, Josie Standafer; 50c each from Mrs. J. R. McClure and Chester Lewis.

Mrs. Russell Cox of Pomp turned in \$1 each from Kedrick Caskey, Mrs. Irene Vest and herself.

Mrs. Thurman Wright of Upper Sand Lick turned in \$15 donated as follows: \$5 from W. E. Daniel of Amherstdale, W. Va., \$3 from (Continued on Page Four)

In Ol' Morgan

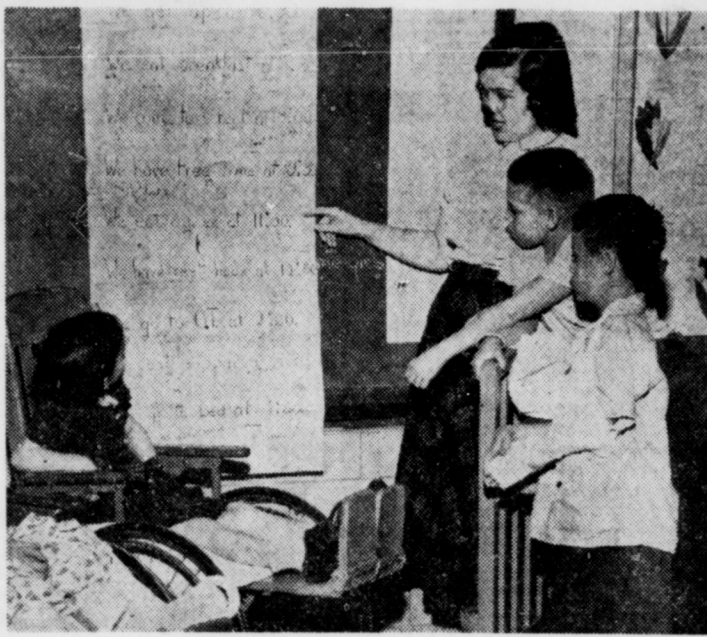
The Vanceburg Lions basketball team found out last week that patron saints some times are fellowtownsmen. Bob Wright's Lions' finesse on the hardwood found them advancing to regional play at Winchester, where they got a taste of sweet victory only to be followed by a big dose of bitter defeat at the hands of the Ashland Tomcats.

"Papa," said Lena Wells Voiers, who with Gus, her husband, had followed the team from start to finish. "Our boys lost. They're downhearted, and we can't have that. They played well and have been the only basketball players from Vanceburg to win a game in a regional tournament. They're heroes and should be happy, not sad."

"You're right," answered Gus Voiers. "We've got to do our best thing. Tell you what, let's take the team to the State tournament."

And that's how it happened that the entire Vanceburg basketball team got an expense-paid trip to the State High School Tournament in Lexington, including season tickets, transportation and rooms.

One of the team's high scorers is Johnny Lykins, who is widely related in Morgan county. One of Johnny's teammates is Orville Beair, who lives with an uncle in a cabin in an isolated section of Lewis county. For some time (Continued on Page Four)



(Photo courtesy Lexington Leader)

PATIENTS AT CARDINAL HILL, Kentucky's Easter Seal hospital, do not miss out on their school work while they are hospitalized. In the above picture, Miss Louise Fallon, teacher at the hospital, is giving reading lessons to three of the youngsters who are able to get to the Cardinal Hill classroom. Others are taught at bedside.

Easter Seals Aid Crippled Children

The high point in the twentieth annual Easter Seal appeal came last week with the mailing of 46,000,000 Easter Seals to nearly half a million Kentucky homes. Several hundred were mailed to Morgan county.

The Easter Seal appeal, sponsored in this state by Kentucky Society for Crippled Children, opened March 5 and will continue through Easter Sunday, April 5. No definite goal has been set for the campaign in Kentucky.

Chairman Briggs Lawson, Shelbyville, pointed out however that the Kentucky Society's Board of Directors already has approved a \$225,000 program of treatment and education for handicapped youngsters.

Most of this amount will have

to be raised through the current campaign or the planned program will have to be trimmed, Mr. Lawson said.

In Kentucky there are 20,500 orthopedically handicapped children. It costs more than \$10 to give a crippled child just one day of hospital care. All crippled children are eligible for services provided by Easter Seals, whatever the crippling cause.

The number-one cripple and killer of children, Mr. Lawson said, is not polio or any of the other spectacular diseases.

Accidents have been the cause between the ages of one and fourteen years than the nine worst disease killers combined," the Easter Seal chairman asserted.

"And only accidents can cripple so grotesquely and so pitifully."

Forest Ranger Reports On National Forest At Weekly Kiwanis Meet

George Nietzold told the West Liberty Kiwanis Club at its meeting Wednesday that there are 500,000 acres in the Cumberland National Forest extending from Rowan county to the Tennessee line. Its purpose, he said, is the preservation of timber, flood control, wildlife and recreation. He said there are 5,500 acres in Morgan in the national forest.

Nietzold was introduced by Harold Barber, State Biologist for the division of fish and game. H. E. Franklin of Ashland, a representative of the Kentucky Chemical Industries of Cincinnati, O., was guest of Bernard E. Whit.

The club's president expressed to Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stacy the club's appreciation for the fine service rendered at the hotel during the past year. Plans are to hold the next meeting at Stamper's Restaurant.

POST OFFICE AT SELLARS ROBBED

The Post Office at Sellars was robbed Sunday and the store opened and other funds taken.

Sheriff Clyde Adams said that he and Jeff Williams went to the office after he had been called Sunday night. Ova Combs who lives on the farm of Coon Stamp-circus was suspected after questioning by Sheriff Adams Sunday and on Tuesday by Inspector Wm. Brewer and Adams.

Combs admitted that he opened the window to Stamper's home Sunday while the family was visiting in Magoffin county; he found the keys to the store, opened it and took some money from the post office funds and some from the store.

Combs is 28, married, and has three children. Combs will appear in Federal Court at Jackson, Tenn., Monday.

Mrs. Coon Stamp is postmaster at Sellars.

DISTRICT BASKETBALL TEAM

The following were selected as members of the All-District basketball team following the recent district tournament played at the Morgan County gym—

Larry McKenzie, Morgan County; Daniels, Oil Springs; Carpenter, Salsversville; Murphy, Ezel; Collinsworth, Salsversville; Oney, Cannel City; Griggsby, Frenchburg; Pelfrey, Oil Springs; Adkins, Sandy Hook; Day, Frenchburg.

High players received honorable mention: Freddy Blair, Richie Stacy, Ova Haney, Jr.

J. F. Cantrill visited Austin Hill Sunday.

SEVEN NEW LADS JOIN GRID SQUAD IN SPRING DRILL

9-Game Schedule
Is Announced For
Morgan Countians

Coach Glenn Stanley opened spring football practice at the Morgan County high school Mar. 9 with the largest Blue Devil squad ever to report for opening day drill.

Seven boys from Cannel City joined the squad for spring drill, since the Cannel City school will be consolidated with Morgan County high school next year.

With seven returning regulars from last year, the Blue Devil squad promises to be one of the best Morgan County teams Stanley has ever coached. Although the line will lose four of last year's starters by graduation, Stanley thinks he will have adequate replacements. Losses from the line are Garry Elam, outstanding tackle; Ova Haney, Jr. and Jack Howard, guards, and Danny Wells, end.

Returning veterans are Albert Wingo, 220-pound tackle; George Fannin, end; Jim Brown, center. Stanley said vacated line positions will be filled by boys showing the most hustle and effort. Irvine Oney and Donas Holbrook from Cannel City are catching on fast and can't be overlooked as starting prospects.

The backfield will be practically the same as last year. The quarterback position is resulting again in a battle between Richie Stacy and Glenn Lykins.

The duties probably will be divided between the two. Larry McKenzie and Sammy Hill will be back for the halfback spots. Both showed power and speed last year. The backfield spot will be filled again by the dependable Dale Dehart, the team's leading scorer and ground gainer last year.

Morgan County last year was topped only by Catlettsburg in conference play.

Louisville—Sept. 11, home; Prestonsburg—Sept. 18, there; Raceland—Sept. 25, there; Mt. Sterling—Oct. 2, there; Ripley—Oct. 9, home; Paintsville—Oct. 16, home; Wurtland—Oct. 23, there; Catlettsburg—Oct. 30, home; M.M.I.—Nov. 6, home.

BURLEY SUPPORT IS CUT SHARPLY

Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson Wednesday set the government support price for the 1953 burley tobacco crop at \$46.60 a hundred.

The loan level is a drop of \$2.90 under last year's government support rate of \$49.50, but still is the third highest proclaimed since the program went into operation in 1940.

The support price reflects the continued drop in the parity index on which the loan rate is figured. The burley loan rate is based on 90% of parity as of March 1.

Last year's burley crop brought an average of \$50.29.

Adele Minister Dies

In Cincinnati, Ohio

The Rev. William Maddox, 86, died March 22 at General Hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio. Survivors are Mrs. Rhoda Stidham, Bar Ridge, Ky.; Mrs. Mary Smith, Cincinnati; W. H. Maddox, Cleveland, Ohio. He had been a minister of the Adele Church of God for forty years until he retired three years ago.

Funeral was Wednesday at 10 a.m. at the Church of God, Adele. Revs. Forest Bailey and George Finch officiating. Burial was in the family cemetery at Adele under direction of Potter Funeral Home.

W. S. Potts To Retire

After 34 Years With
Gas & Electric Co.

W. S. Potts, former resident of West Liberty and field superintendent for the Louisville Gas and Electric Company the past thirty-four years, will retire on April first. He plans to spend the next two months on his farm on Route 2, Clay City, Ky., and about June first he will join James Clark of Winchester in the pipe line construction business.

POLICEMAN RESIGNS

Luther Adkins West Liberty policeman since January 1952, resigned effective April 1, 1953. Mr. Adkins will be jailer for Morgan county after that date, as Kerrie Allen who recently succeeded Cartie Lykins has been employed by Ruth Brothers.

Wardie Bailey will continue as police.

Etta Bellamy is employed at Elam's Restaurant.

Morgan Research Committee Meets Monday Evening

The Morgan County Advisory Committee met Monday evening in the office of county superintendent of schools and answered the questionnaire on school buildings and pupil transportation submitted by the Legislative Research Commission of Kentucky. It was found that 400 children are being taught in rooms not designed for school use. That only 10 percent of the buildings are well lighted. The committee felt that schools should provide facilities for art, music, library and homemaking. That 55 of the elementary rooms are unsatisfactory. That there are 47 one-room schools that need replacing. The fiscal year cost \$5140.83. Only 10 percent of the schools have ample playground.

All members of the committee felt that the state should help pay the cost of transportation. Four members voted that the state should own and operate the school buses and nine members voted that school transportation should be joint state and local operated. The cost of pupil transportation in Morgan county is \$17.85 per pupil. This was about \$6.00 per pupil less than the state average. It was brought out in the discussion that the county needs at least five new buses to replace old ones and eight more in order to give satisfactory service and not permit overcrowding in the buses. Some 1400 school children ride the buses each day. An average of 70 pupils for each bus, and the buses travel 1,300 miles each day.

Those present were Supt. Carl Stewart, W. G. Ratliff, Mrs. Curt Jackson, Mrs. Irene Murphy, Roy Nickell, Ezra Back, Earl Murphy, Dr. Alec Spencer, E. R. Hemphill, Fletcher Elmore, Frank Wilson, Bernard E. Whit, Estill Steele, Hazel Steele and Walton Jones.

Some County Schools Close For End of Term

Mrs. Lena Brown, teacher, was in town Wednesday. She said their school closed last Friday. There was an enrollment of 12, and two pupils, Linda and Patricia, children of Robert Keeton, had perfect attendance. She reports that someone broke 11 window panes Monday night before school closed. Mrs. Brown has taught the Big Lick school for four years.

Caskey Fork School

This school closed March 26. There were 21 enrolled, and Darold Peyton, 12 year old son of Earnie Peyton, had perfect attendance. Byron May, teacher, said he felt his second year at the same school was one of the best.

Cut-Rate Employees

Are Feted To Dinner

Harrison H. Wheeler of Ashland, president of Sandy Valley Grocery Co. and Fletcher Elmore, manager of the West Liberty Cut Rate Market, entertained the employees of the West Liberty store to a steak dinner at Stamper's Restaurant here last Friday evening. Attending were Mr. Wheeler, D. F. Wheeler of Wheeler & Williams Hardware, Ashland, and Francis Keeton, Ashland food broker; and Mr. and Mrs. Elmore, Charles E. Price, Cecil, and Mrs. Homer S. Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Turner. Mr. Wheeler spoke briefly to the group.

Seniors Issuing Yearbook Here

The senior class of Morgan County high school is sponsoring the production of the high school yearbook, the Morgan Mirror.

This issue of the Morgan Mirror will be quite unique in that it will be a pictorial account of the whole year's activities rather than the usual events ending in early February.

Anyone interested in securing a copy of the Mirror may contact Charles Bellamy, Editor; Mrs. Woodrow W. Barber, senior advisor, or any member of the senior class.

Six Morgan Farms To Consign Stock To Tri-County Purebred Sale Mar. 30

Six Morgan county purebred cattle breeders will consign stock from their herds to the Tri-County Purebred Beef Cattle Sale to be conducted in Mt. Sterling Monday, March 30 sponsored by the Registered Beef Cattle Breeders Cooperative Association of Morgan, Montgomery and Menifee counties.

The Morgan breeders who will offer stock for sale are: Lane Hereford Farm, Ezel; Grass Creek Hereford Farm, Glenn Lacy; Andrew Cecil, Murphy Fork; James I. Hollon, Hazel Green; Otis Murphy, Route 460, and Dan-Dee Hereford Farm, Grass Creek.

The association was organized recently to improve commercial beef cattle herds in this area.

72 Attend Town Hall Meeting Here Tuesday



ELECTED BY D.A.R.

Mrs. William Everett Bach of Lexington was elected State historian for the Kentucky Society Daughters of the American Revolution at its annual conference held in Ashland two weeks ago. Mrs. Bach has served as State chairman of genealogical records for the past six years and is well known for her work in genealogy. She is much interested in the lineages of Eastern Kentucky families and frequently visits Morgan county.

SALEM-STACY FK. ROAD TO BE LET

The State Highway Department this week advertised for bids for the construction and traffic bound surfacing of 3 1/2 miles of the Salem-Stacy Fork road. Bids are to be opened in Frankfort April 10.

Raymond Gose, resident engineer, reports this is the "missing link" sector of the Salem-Stacy Fork road which already is built from Ky. 191 at Stacy Fork to Stacy Fork to Mack Peyton's place, a distance of 5.25 miles. The project starts at a point on the Grassy Creek-Heleehawa road and leads up Phipps Fork, over Osborne Hill and down Meadow Branch via Ark Smith's to the end of the previous construction on Stacy Fork.

Mr. Gose, County Judge Reed Halsey and County Attorney Ren F. Nickell were in Frankfort last Wednesday to clear the last two deeds or rights-of-way on this project.

The local engineering party will start tracing construction lines and profiles next week and Mr. Gose will take prospective contractors over the project next Thursday.

Construction of this missing link will complete another important road for farmers and also will open up a large area of good coal land.

County officials have spent many days on trips to various counties and even into Ohio to procure deeds to complete the right of way for this road. Location was done in February and March of last year.

NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS

People are now planting gardens and an appeal is made to owners of dogs to keep them at home and prevent the dogs from running over and spoiling people's gardens.—ORA McCLAIN, Mayor, West Liberty.

4-H TALENT SHOW FRIDAY

Another real session of fun and entertainment is in store for those who see Slim Miller of Renfro Valley and the many 4-H club acts at the 4-H talent show. The show will be held at the high school auditorium Friday, March 27, beginning at 7 p.m.

Mary Sellers, 76, Dies

At Pomp Wednesday

Mrs. Mary Caskey Sellers, 76, died Wednesday at 1 p.m. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Perry at Pomp after a two weeks illness.

Funeral will be conducted Friday at 1:30 p.m. at the school at Pomp with Rev. Henry Clevenger officiating, and interment will be made in the family cemetery at Lick Fork under direction of the West Liberty Funeral Home.

Mrs. Sellers was born in the Lick Fork section and was a daughter of Jim Tom Caskey and Mauselett Caskey.

JUNIOR GA'S MEET

The Junior GA's of the Baptist church held their weekly meeting Wednesday afternoon with Charlotte Gross. Refreshments were served to Lillian Dulin, Phyllis Dixon, Alice Sue Lacy, Lenora Carver, Julia Wilson, Eva Ann Martin, Paula Sue Cox, and Charlotte Gross. Next meeting will be held Wednesday after school with Eva Ann Martin.

News from Correspondents

HOLLIDAY—

STAMPER-GRAVES
VOWS ARE SAID

HOLLIDAY, Ky., March 20—(By H. H. Holliday)—We announce the wedding of Lucy Ellen Stamper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Acy Stamper, to Gene Graves, son of David and Octavia Graves of Atmore, Alabama, on March 18 at the office of County Judge Reed Halsey of West Liberty who performed the ceremony in the presence of Acy Stamper, Nora Gay Holliday, H. H. Holliday, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stambaugh, Mrs. Froyne Watkins and Mrs. Emma Watkins and son of Pekin. The bride and groom both were married in grey suits. They went immediately to the home of the bride's father where a delicious wedding dinner was served to a number of the bride's relatives and friends.

Persons

Harrison Holliday left by bus March 12 to visit the following in Ohio: Mr. and Mrs. Louie Randolph of Lockland, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Hasty, Springfield, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Timmering and Lawrence Holliday of Reading; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stacy and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hasty of Foster, O.; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holliday of Norwood, O. He returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Oney and family of Middletown, came Saturday and took his mother, Josie Oney home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford Gullett and family of Fairborn, O.,

LOGVILLE

(By Ruby Elam)

March 23—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Williams in Paintsville Hospital March 19 a girl—Helen Jean.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Williams has been very ill of pneumonia. They are at the home of her parents at Silver Hill.

Mrs. Claude Howard and children spent from Friday till Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frits Earl Howard and her sister, Mrs. Buel Jenkins, of Maggard.

Adlia Johnson, Arnel Hopkins, Perry Hopkins and Roy Stapleton took stock to the Paintsville Market Saturday. Jimmy Elam and Claude Howard also attended the sale. Claude purchased a cow and calf.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Downey and children of Springfield, O., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kennard of Portsmouth, O., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rainey Pack. Mrs. Pack has been very ill in the West Liberty Hospital.

A wonderful service was held here at the schoolhouse Sunday with Revs. A. C. Bradley, Floyd Wright, George Daniels, Elbert Nickell and Tommie Wright participating. Robert Adkins was baptized.

Mrs. Ray Stapleton has been very sick but is better.

visited here this week. Bill Holliday has been ill two weeks and is progressing slowly. His son Paul who works at Middletown, came to see him last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oney, who have been at Granite Avenue, Ohio, for some time, came home this week end. They purchased a TV set at West Liberty on the way home and had it installed by Woodrow Salyer who has finished a TV course at Paintsville.

EBON—

PATRICK CHILD
DIES MARCH 16

EBON, Ky., March 20—(By Elsie Richard)—James Harold, six months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Patrick, died March 16. Interment was in Johnson cemetery near Dan.

Robert Williams and Alton Patrick of Dayton, O., were here for the funeral of the Patrick baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Richard and daughters Kay and Della Marie, Wiley Patrick and Hiram Fugate were in West Liberty on Thursday consulting a doctor and dentist.

Claud McGuire and Vernon Cox were recent visitors at Silver Hill.

Mrs. Susie Patrick of Ohio spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Cora Mann and attended the funeral of her aunt, Emma McClure of Dehart.

Mrs. Roscoe Sexton of Middletown, O., is spending a few days here with her children.

Mrs. James McGuire was in West Liberty Monday to see Dr. L. C. Long.

Pvt. George Dehavens who has been stationed in Maryland is on furlough and was calling on Miss Phyllis Goodpastor this week.

Elmer Mays was in Mt. Sterling Monday and purchased a nice work mule.

John Crouch was in Mt. Sterling recently to see a doctor.

The Owensboro Rotary Club will grow three acres of tobacco for the benefit of the crippled children's fund.

WAR CREEK

(By Mamie Tyree)

March 23—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cottle had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell and Jimmie Nickell of Florress and Mr. and Mrs. Chess McClain of Cow Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Williams and children of Florress and Mrs. Mamie Tyree were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tyree Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Potter, a son—Roy Cletis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Johnston and children, Mrs. Florence Gamble and a Miss Vest of Spaw Creek attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Cottle and Mr. and Mrs. Chess Cottle and daughter of West Liberty visited Aunt Mollie Cottle here Sunday.

Mrs. Snowden Johnston who taught school here took her pupils to visit Vance Fork school Wednesday and had her school out here Thursday.

Franklin Pelfrey and Velma Lykins who were married recently and live at Dayton, O., visited his mother here this week end.

Dorsey McGuire and family moved Saturday to the house he bought at Harold Lykins, who had moved to the Jim Day hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tyree and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lykins attended the singing at Cannel City Saturday night.

CLAY AND SHALE TESTING
LAB IS ESTABLISHED AT UK

Kentucky industry is expected to benefit from a ceramics laboratory recently placed in use at the University of Kentucky by the Kentucky Geological Survey and the College of Engineering.

VANCE FORK

(By Lillian Vance)

March 20—Arna Salyer who has been in Ohio has returned. Woodrow Salyer, Clyde Vanhoose and Waldo Vance installed a TV set for Cortis Lykins last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Vance and Donald and Dimple Vance, Miss Wanda Bailey were visiting relatives in Mt. Sterling Saturday.

The salary of the Vice President of the U. S. is \$30,000, plus \$10,000 for incidental expenses.

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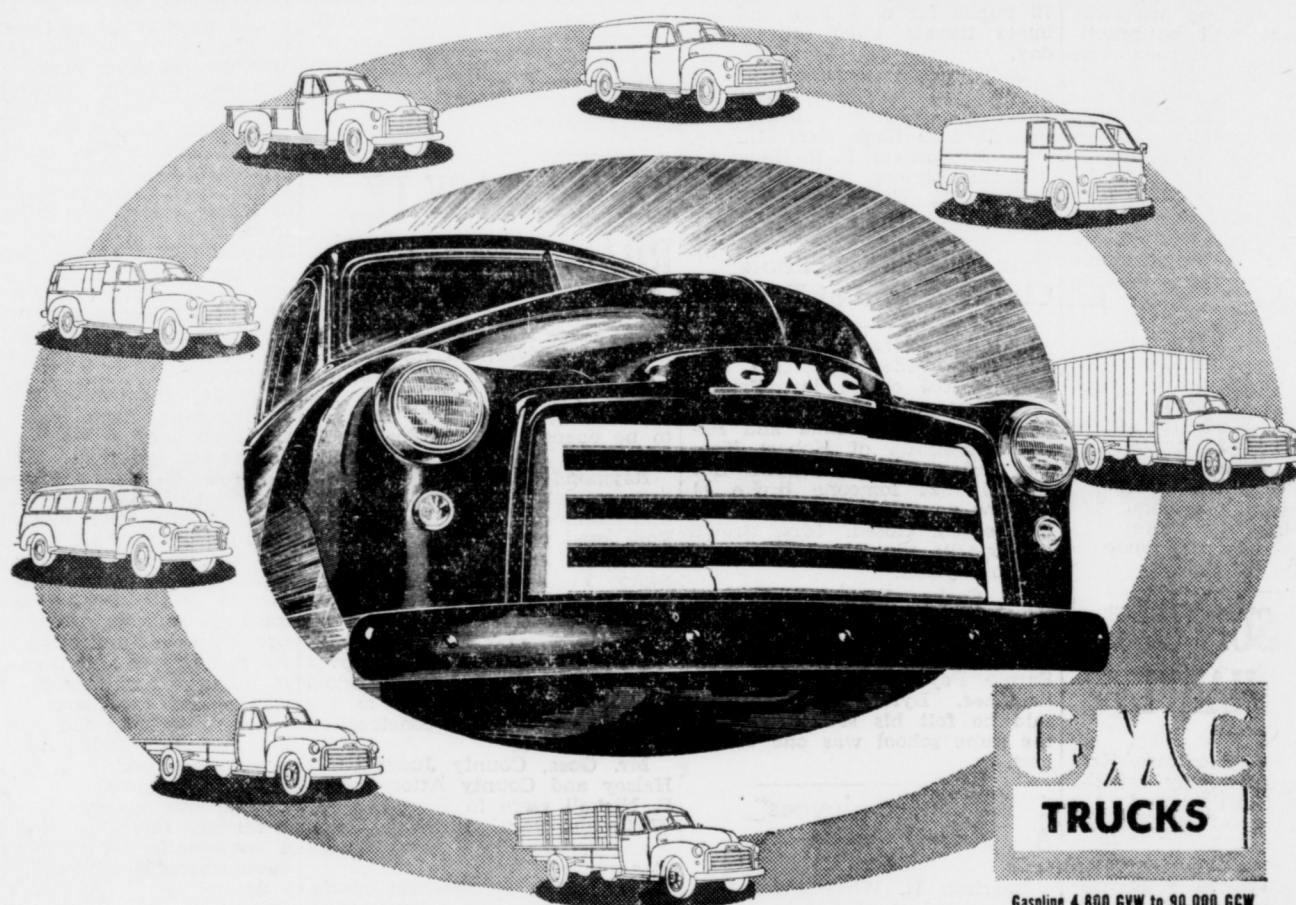
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LICK BRANCH

(By Mrs. Delena Shaver)
March 15—Mrs. Lou Smith, Miss Lella and Louessa Dulin visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaver and children. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Price and Vernie Lou of Portsmouth, Ohio, visited briefly Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bazie Dulin of Silver Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shaver here.

Sanford Hamilton, the new merchant at Lenox, had business in Paintsville Monday.

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MORGAN NATIVE OBSERVES BIRTHDAY



(Mrs. B. F. Carter celebrated her birthday February 1 at the home of her daughter and son, Mrs. Leonidas R. Redwine and Sam Filson Carter at 2109 Royal Palm Avenue, Ft. Myers, Florida. Before her marriage in Maysville, Ky., Mrs. Carter was Miss Nettie Naomi Filson, a direct descendant of John Filson who wrote the first History of Kentucky and made the first map of Kentucky.

The hobby of Mrs. Carter is flowers and too she likes poetry and good literature. Mrs. Carter's favorite poets are Edward A. Guest and Kipling. She very frequently gives readings from the above mentioned. Mrs. Carter is talented and alert, and as many have said, "She will never grow old."

Mrs. Redwine served a turkey dinner. The tablecloth was a handmade Italian cloth and was centered with a large bowl of carnations, snowballs and crystallized plants, around which were tapers in crystal candlesticks. Pink candles lighted a birthday cake decorated with pink and lavender flowers, saying "Happy Birthday, Mother and Grandmother."

The cake was carried in by her great granddaughter, Miss Brenda Lee Carter, and great grandson, Tom Fitch. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Edwin Carter and children, Marvete, Brenda Lee and Sandra Carter, Mrs. Helen Carter Fitch,

Mrs. Hattie Cole Baldwin, Mrs. Finley E. Fogg, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cain, Kentucky friends from Eminence.

Mrs. Carter has six grandchildren: Marvin, living in St. Petersburg; Frank Carter of Louisville, Ky.; Harold Preston Carter of Dallas, Texas; Mrs. Mariam Jenette Lymas of Cincinnati. She also has nine great grandchildren.

Mrs. Carter was married in Maysville Christian church Oct. 24, 1878, and went to Mt. Sterling by train and stayed with Mrs. Jim Turner who ran a hotel. From there they engaged a hack and driver, whose name was Charley Turner. At Tick Town (now Frenchburg) a wheel broke down and the couple was delayed overnight. Next morning they took up their journey to West Liberty, which took all day.

It was dark when they came to Wells Hill, and crossed the river at the old Gordon Ford near the Elis Cartmel and Willie Manker homes. As the couple was late and had no way to let Dr. W. G. Carter know they were delayed, the crowd had gathered at the home of Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Carter where they number 300, waiting for the "enfance."

As they came to Wells Hill, a wagon wheel went over the hill, but the driver was alert and pulled the wagon over near the hill. With them was Mrs. Carter's sister Belle and on the approach to West Liberty sang

"Hold the Fort for We Are Coming."

Just recently Mrs. Carter said, "I'll never forget the sight when we entered the dining room and living room where tables were made into a cross heavily laden with every thing you could think of. The cakes were decorated with iced cedar and white lilies made out of icing. The house was decorated with wild grasses, crystallized with alum. A beautiful sight to behold."

"Among those who attended were Captain and Mrs. Tom Henry, Colonel and Mrs. John Tom Hazdrigg, Congressman and Mrs. Wick Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmore Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. D. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Maxey, Mr. and Mrs. Marian Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mynhier, Captain and Mrs. Thomas Havens. Of all the above guests and numerous others, I am the only living person."

Soon after Mrs. Carter's marriage to Dr. B. F. Carter (who was a graduate of the old Hospital College of Medicine, Louisville, Ky.) she worked side by side with him through his 52 years practicing on horseback. She could very well be called, "The wife of Dac in the Saddle."

COW BRANCH

(By Rose Dawn Johnson)

Shelia Diana Johnson, the 10 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Quentin Johnson, is improving from pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Johnson of Dayton, O., visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Johnson.

Miss Patricia Ann Johnson who has been ill with pneumonia is better.

On the sick list are Mrs. Leander Johnson, Mrs. John J. Johnson, Mrs. Liddle V. Adkins, Rev. Alfred Johnson, Mrs. Missouri Riggsby.

Mrs. Sarah Alice Adkins and children who had been visiting her parents have returned to Mansfield, Ohio.

WHITE OAK

(By Mrs. F. C. May)

March 17—Work has begun on tearing away the old church building. Sunday school next Sunday will be in the new building.

Henry Minnix has been confined to his bed several days. Mr. and Mrs. Millard Whitt have a new daughter born in the Gullett & Spencer Clinic.

Lula Allen visited last Sunday evening with Aunt Mollie Cottle. Mrs. Pearl Williams, Mrs. Ben Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Hallard Allen and Danny Bill visited Mr. and Mrs. Asie Phipps at Greer Sunday.

Grover Frederick made a business trip to Huntington recently.

Randall Williams and Earl Holbrook attended the regional basketball tournament at Paintsville. Recent visitors of Frank May have been Mrs. T. Elam, Bill Elam, Junior Elam, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Potter, Boone Allen and Kenneth Fairchild.

GRASSY CREEK—MONROE SCOUTS MENIFEE ROUGHS

GRASSY CREEK, Ky., March 17—The writer spent the week end down Beaver Way. We went down to fish, but the rains descended and the floods came, so we took the time out Sunday in touring over what used to be The Roughs of Menifee.

We took in the Indian Creek section, then over onto and down Hawkins' Branch, then up the East Fork of Slate Creek. These sections were once termed rough spots in the Kentucky Hills, but today it is very different from what it was when I was a youngster. Instead of log cabins and worn out lands, approached by surfaced roads past beautiful homes on modern farms that pastured herds of fine cattle, meeting kind, friendly, and up-to-date people.

Personals

Deward Adams went to Louisville Sunday to take an examination in regard to a foot injury received some time ago.

Mrs. Robert Brashers and son Benny of Campton came for Mrs. Luetia Eyrd who has been for several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Jeston Gevedon, during a serious illness.

Owlen Chaney of Springfield, O., visited over the week end his brother, Pvt. Lowell Chaney, on furlough from Fort Knox. Bert Gevedon went to Scranton Monday with a load of oats for Orrison Cannoy.

DEHART

(By Mrs. L. L. Ward)

March 16—Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dehaven were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cox and children and Wendell Dehaven of Germantown, O.

Pvt. George Dehaven of Camp Meade, Maryland is spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Leach and daughter Judy of Fairborn, Ohio visited her mother, Mrs. Dora Cottle, the week end.

Frelin Keeton spent the week end with his family here and returned to Lexington Monday for further treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Cottle of Fairborn, O., visited relatives the week end.

Ellis Allen of Fort Knox was in this community Sunday.

A large crowd attended the funeral of Mrs. Emma McClure conducted by the Rev. Harlen Murphy of West Liberty. Mr. and Mrs. Cartie Carpenter of Twenty-six were Monday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ward.

Charles Peyton of Ohio visited here and at Yocum for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ward were in West Liberty Tuesday and called at the Courier office.

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THE LICKING AND BIG SANDY GET TOGETHER

Leaders in the Big Sandy and the Licking Rivers met in the Christian church at West Liberty Monday evening and talked about how to build industry and agriculture in the two valleys.

The coal mines in the Big Sandy are gradually fading out. Agriculture in the Upper Licking River Valley is improving. Much of the timber is gone. A new growth will be slow and long materializing for wealth. There are, no doubt, undeveloped resources in such material as clay and bi-products of coal and other minerals. The last few years have seen good highways open up these valleys to swifter modes of travel and transportation, bringing them close to Louisville and Cincinnati, only 4 or 5 hours distance.

This region offers great and undeveloped attractions for tourists and places to spend vacations. Fishing and hunting and wildlife can be developed. There are thousands of people close enough in some of the large cities to spend week ends in the area.

There can be developed many small processing plants in this area where there are good, dependable workers. There is plenty of native building material to construct homes and necessary buildings at a lower cost than in large cities. There is enough good land for truck farming to supply abundance of food for the people and a surplus to sell. It is a good place for homes and small farmers, making living cost a minimum. Good schools can be developed and courses offered in high schools to train workers for specific courses such as carpenters, machinist, clerical and vocational agriculture.

The region possesses the greatest of all resources—a good stock of people mostly descended from the original settlers. There will always be a surplus of people; many will always be going to other places. This is not a tragedy. The thing most needed is improvement of those who remain so that their earning and standards of living may be as good as any other part of the Commonwealth.

At present there is nothing to indicate the establishment of some sort of industry to employ thousands of people. Places where these things exist have had the factors needed. The future may want and need something we have in this area which we do not need at this time.

There is however one thing that can be done. Every farm, every home, every school, every place of business that now exists can be made a little better and can be expanded a little more.

It was a fine example for the people of the two great valleys in Eastern Kentucky to meet and get together for the first time in memory.

RURAL AMERICA'S FRIEND OUSTED BY "RUGGED INDIVIDUALISM"

Claude R. Wickard, the man who did more for rural America than any man except perhaps Roosevelt, resigned last week as administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration. Questioned by newsmen in Washington about his resignation, the retiring REA chief said it was "good speculation" he had been asked by the new administration to "step aside."

Thus one of the two remaining New Deal administrators has been ousted from government service by the "rugged individualism" of the new national administration. The other is Ivy W. Duggan, governor of the Farm Credit Administration.

Wickard served as Secretary of Agriculture in the cabinet of Roosevelt from 1940 to 1945 and helped formulate much of the Roosevelt farm program. Since 1945 he has been REA administrator and has championed REA projects for rural areas and more recently the co-op telephone systems.

Loss of Wickard from REA may not be felt immediately, but it will eventually, for even now Republican policy makers in Congress are talking up plans to sell co-op utilities to private industry along with their plan to give the nation's tidelands oil property to the four states.

VISUAL AIDS IN EDUCATION

There is a Chinese proverb which says that "One picture is worth ten thousand words." This means that one is often able to understand what he sees more clearly and easily than what he hears or reads. Pictures have been used for thousands of years; in fact, our first writing was really pictures. The cave man used drawing on the rocks and trees and other objects to inform others what he did.

The motion picture is one of the most important contributions to visual education. During World War II the Army and Navy had to train millions of men in a very short time and the motion picture, film strips and slides were used. The motion picture helped to teach the soldier to fire his gun, cook his food, attack the enemy and many other phases of battle life. Educators believe that the future will have much more to offer along this line.

The schools and pupils in Morgan county this year have had more opportunity to benefit from visual aids and film strips than ever before. Through the efforts of the board of education, the superintendent, attendance supervisor and helping teachers, more than 80 percent of the children have had presented some visual education. This means that perhaps 3,000 different children have seen one or more educational films; and in many of the rural schools parents come out to see the film when they know that it is being shown. The superintendent of schools said that because of lack of time and personnel they have been unable to use the machine more, which they would like to have done.

THIS WEEK WOULD BE A GOOD TIME TO

Go fishing
 Buy Easter Seals
 Clean the city streets
 Give to the Cancer fund
 Subscribe to your home paper
 Take your rubbish to the city dump
 Fix the tennis courts at the playground

Daylight-saving idea comes from an old Indian who cut off one end of his blanket and sewed it on the other to make it longer.

This is the only country in the world where a man can ride in his own car to the courthouse to collect his unemployment compensation check.

Around The Family Circle

DR. ADOLPHUS GILLIAM

BRING LIGHT AND LIFE

I have just finished a conference with a lady who is a wife and mother who has felt the impact of defeat. The first time that she came to my office she was one of the most helpless defeated personalities that you very very well behold. Having inquired I found that she was a person well educated, cultured, and had had much experience in teaching and that type of work. She met a man during this time and in a short while they were married. He, too, was a rather lovable type of a fellow, very capable, and had a pleasing personality.

In the course of time things, little by little, had happened that were derogatory to the peace and contentment in the home. The kind words which are easily spoken and yet often forgotten had not been coming from him to her for some time. It was easy to find fault and just as easy for him to express it. When the child came into the home affection was centered upon this child and they began to forget each other. The child began to demand more and more and found two parents pulling

in the opposite directions with regard to her own life. It began to dawn on the mother that all that she had was being lost, her husband and her baby, and fear overcame her and she became emotionally defeated.

To me this is one of the saddest things that you could find; that is, a person with ability, personality and training defeated to the point that all energy is gone without a desire to live. It is not an easy thing to lead a person out of such confusion of mind. Looking at the countenance that was so defeated and clouded it was the pages of a book that declared human suffering to be one of the great problems of this race. To lend a hand in a time like that is one of the things that some of us can do. After several conferences with this person the sun is beginning to break through the clouds and there are signs of life again. I am praying that these signs will be true symptoms and that I shall soon see the day when that home has the sunshine of love and devotion and happiness will reign there.

That leads me to say this. In last week's paper I looked on the picture of a man in a casket. That picture is in papers all across the land. The body that was there was that of Joe Stalin. Nobody will ever know how much sorrow, bloodshed, heartache, and bereavement was brought into the homes, hearts, and lives of the people of the earth because of the course that Joe Stalin pursued. It will take a just judge who knoweth all things to bring that record to view and that is what will happen. This makes me think again and I remember that God who made us knows all about us, from Joe Stalin to these humble people who come to my office with their problems and their troubles. They are real to them, their hearts are broken, and God who so loved us that He gave His son for us does not overlook these things.

We are now in the season of the year in which we plod our way up to Calvary's brow. It is there that we find the complete sacrificial offering of love for the illnesses and sins of mankind. We all know that there is a final resting place for all of us in which the great and the small, the learned and the unlearned, the good and the bad, shall find ourselves. To me it is a challenging thing to have the assurance that the grave is not the end and that a just and loving God shall decide how well we remember that we have been bought with such a price and that we are loved with an everlasting love it would be wonderful if we would spend more time in reaching a hand to lift and point to a place of light for those who seem to be in darkness. We do not have much time to do these things. It was Benjamin Disraeli who said, "Life is too short to be little." The Kingdom of God demands haste; what we do we must do quickly. Henry Ward Beecher said at one time a thing that impresses me very much and I leave it with you. "Do not keep the alabaster boxes of your love and tenderness sealed up until your friends are dead. Fill their lives with sweetness. Speak approving, cheering words while their ears can hear them and while their hearts can be thrilled by them."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Courier:
 I have taken The Courier a long time and I enjoy it a lot. My husband died Feb. 18, 1950 and is sadly missed. I am 82 years old. Harlan Ferguson of Grear is my brother. I have lots of friends in Morgan county and I would like to say hello to them all. I enjoy reading The Courier very much.

MRS. CYNTHA ELAM

Editor, The Courier:
 I enjoy the many letters to the editor in The Courier and all the news. I save so many clippings and am making a scrap book of them. It will be a very good history by the time I get it finished. Best wishes to all readers of the Courier.

ELIZABETH NEAL
 Wilmore, Ky.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Editor, The Courier:
 If we didn't get The Courier we wouldn't know about the people we used to know back in Morgan. We like the articles you write about new roads opened up and the many improvements in Morgan. We hope to see in the future more news of the State. The GOOD NEWS put out by the Courier will do much to help out.

We spent most of the winter in California and while there bought property at the above address. We came back to Illinois to pack our household goods to move to California. Please publish our address in the Courier and it will enable me to meet people from Morgan county that I otherwise would not meet. We recently met Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnett, formerly from Morgan, now living in North Hollywood. It was through the Courier that we got in contact with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caskey
 429 Vista Avenue
 Pasadena, California

Editor, The Courier:
 I wonder if you or any of your readers could help me get in contact with any of the Maggards in your vicinity.

I am trying to compile a history of the Maggard family, and it is my belief that one or more of the seven sons of old Sam Maggard, settled in Elliott. I think it was David Maggard, a Baptist minister, and I believe his wife was either Susie Harris, Elizabeth Parker or Anna Roberts. He would have settled there since 1833, probably shortly after that date.

He had a sister that settled near there in Rowan county, by the name of Sarah (Sallie) Caudill, wife of Sam Caudill. They had a son by the name of Abel Caudill, who was the father of D. B. Caudill, prominent lawyer and banker of Morehead.

Would appreciate a letter from any of the descendants of old Preacher David Maggard, giving the names and marriages of their children and any other information about him.

Anyone sending this information will be given a free copy of the beginning of the Maggard family from Scotland down to their first family in Kentucky.

VICTOR N. PHILLIPS
 Box 180, Hazard, Ky.

Editor, The Courier:
 Some time ago my father-in-law Miles Cooper subscribed for the Courier for me. Am enclosing money to have it extended for a year. I don't want to miss it. Please send the Courier also to my mother who is a former pupil of yours. Do you remember her? She is the former Emma Easterling. Her address is Mrs. Ernest Adkins, 56½ Second Street, Shelby, Ohio. The best of luck to a grand paper and staff.

MRS. HAZEL COOPER
 RD 2, Shelby, Ohio

RED CROSS

(Continued from page 1)
 Walter Daniel of Dingus, \$1 each from Elsie Wright, Lucasville, O., Fronia Wright, Mima, Shanklin Adkins, 56½ Second Street, Shelby, Ohio, \$3.50; from Thurnar Wright of Silver Hill; S. J. Wright of Amherstdale, W. Va. 50c.

Twenty-Six and Wrigley
 Mrs. Lanta Whitt of Wrigley reported \$10 as follows: \$1 each from Lanta Whitt, Mrs. Audrey Clevenger, Mrs. Eva Click, Bill Morton, Grace Cisco, Mrs. Clinton Whitt, Byron Lewis, \$1.25 from Linda Lou Vie; 25c to 50c Loraine Haney, Arson Lowe, Doris Whitt; under 25c Bonnie Beatty, Roxie Whitt, Tossy Whitt, Jerry Patrick, Ruth Clevenger, Elva Ruth Wilder, Darrell Patrick, Ethel Wilder.

Mrs. Aubrey Rowland of Twenty-Six reported \$1 each from J. A. Smith, Deloris Smith, Mrs. Aubrey Rowland and Mr. and Mrs. Carta Carpenter.

S. S. ATTENDANCE

Christian	127
Methodist	92
Baptist	84
Mordical	43
Mission	19

TOWN HALL MEET

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"But," he said, "we must not confine our aims to plants alone; we are interested in anything that will help Eastern Kentucky, agriculturally as well as industrially." In this connection he mentioned the possibilities of increasing tourist trade and said establishment of state parks at Carter Caves and Dewey Dam would help. He said also analysis of tests of shale and clay deposits in most of the 14 counties is now available, and it is possible that small brick plants may prove feasible.

Mr. Coplin said the A & ID Board is using its fact-finding staff to complete surveys in the 14-county area and already has made surveys in 10 of the counties. He said the composite report for the area should be ready by June. The board directs geological research, surveys and mapping projects.

Mr. Chrisman pleaded for cooperation of all the counties in the foundation. "We are making progress in Eastern Kentucky, but not as fast as we can, because we have not cooperated," he said. "The first industry may come to Boyd, Johnson or some other county, but let's all work together for this section as a unit, for what helps your neighbor also helps you," he declared. "I feel there is a new day dawning for our section of the State. You here in Morgan are now producing over two million dollars worth of tobacco annually, and because of the fine type of soil and terrain of your land you have great opportunities in the agriculture field. We are training some of the finest young people in the nation right here in Eastern Kentucky, but they must go elsewhere to seek livelihood."

During the forum period a question was directed to Christian regarding the need for capital to start new enterprises. He said the 39 banks in the 14 counties have deposits of 130 million dollars, and I know bankers are willing to work with the right people—and people with initiative and not too much selfishness can get loans for new enterprises. Too many hope for big industries, but there are lots of small enterprises that can be started by local capital," he said.

Mr. Moore, who came here from the district highway office in Flemingsburg, reported that US 460 from West Liberty to Mt. Sterling is to be resurfaced this summer with the highest type non-skid surfacing, rock asphalt. During the panel discussion period, Mr. Moore said the rebuilding of the Index Hill section of 460 is included in the Highway Department's five-year plan.

Mr. Walter also asked for cooperation among all counties in the area. "If you hear people in another county may get a project, say a good word for them." Mr. Asher was asked what type of enterprise should counties like Morgan and Elliott, without railroads, seek. He said a lot of smaller plants do not use railroads but use trucks entirely, and thus it is no longer a detriment not to have railroads to serve small plants. Your best resources here in Morgan are the people who are steady and dependable workers, he said. And he added, we should develop diversified industries and agriculture.

Other visitors who sat in on the meeting were Judge John A. Keck, Elliott county's member of the foundation's board of directors, and C. E. Jarvis, president, and Caswell P. Lane, secretary of the Mt. Sterling Chamber of Commerce.

MIZE

(By Gladys C. Nickell)
 Rev. and Mrs. Harlan Murphy were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Nickell the third Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Cecil and children prepared a delicious birthday dinner the third Sunday, honoring C. F. Cecil, Mrs. Imogene Pieratt, Joe Pieratt II, and Roger Nickell. Mr. and Mrs. S. Woodford Pieratt accompanied Mrs. C. F. Cecil home after spending two weeks with them at Lewisburg, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Rose were afternoon guests.

Mize school closed March 21. Daisy Ratliff received an eighth grade diploma and a high scholastic standing. Rosa Mae Nickell received a reward for her third year of perfect attendance. Daisy, Harold, Carl and Minnie Ratliff received certificates of award for 98 percent attendance. Bought this year were work books, flag, pencil sharpener, repair tape, ball, white wash material, jump rope, modeling clay, scrapbook, fire shovel. Mr. Stewart painted the building, paid electric bills and bought a new coal bucket in addition to all the regular supplies the superintendent and school board furnish. The teacher and children set out more flowers this year. Daisy Ratliff earned a religious story book for Bible memory work. Shirley Puckett earned a big Bible the same way.

Frankie Oldfield of Richmond College was here the third Sunday.

SERVING IN KOREA

Pfc. Walter Brown, whose wife Lois lives at Elkfork, Ky., is now serving in Korea with the 25th Infantry Division. The 25th has been in Korea longer than any other American division. It entered the fighting in July 1950. Brown entered the Army in September 1951 and arrived in Korea in February 1953. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Brown, his parents, live in West Liberty.

U.S. Cabinet members receive salaries of \$15,000.

IN OL' MORGAN

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Orville walked miles from his home to town to go on a ball trip, and often made the trip back through Willin Hollow alone after midnight. Orville hasn't a relative who can read or write.

THE WEBB FAMILY

The James Webb family history begins with James Webb an Englishman who came to America before the Revolution. He was in the War for Independence as an aide de camp to General Washington. At the battle of White Plains he was shot through the body and left on the field for dead. He recovered from the wound, however, and subsequently followed his son Benjamin to Letcher County, Kentucky. Jas. Webb married a sister of Daniel Boone's mother. Another son Jimmie, Jr. married a Pennington and moved to Lawrence County in the early 1800's. Jimmie, Jr. has a great-granddaughter living in West Liberty, Mrs. Earl W. Kinner (Delia Elisha Webb), wife of our publisher. (Vol. 5, P. 626, Kerr's Kentucky History)

IRMA HANEY, Regent
 Morgan County Chapter
 D.A.R., Feb. 13, 1953

J. E. Purvis, president, and Atty. Caswell P. Lane, secretary of the Mt. Sterling Chamber of Commerce, drove to West Liberty Tuesday night to attend the Morgan County Town Hall meeting, demonstrating Mt. Sterling's interest in Morgan county and its problems.

No one was happier to see Lafayette High School receive the winner's trophy at the Kentucky State High School basketball tournament in Lexington Saturday night than was Ruth Francis Stacy, one of six baton-twirling majorettes with the Lafayette high school band. The majorettes would make any pep club peepier. Ruth Francis is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard D. Stacy, all Morgan countyans, now living in Lexington.

Thursday: The Lexington Herald features a picture of the six pretty girls on its sports page today.



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Mrs. Melda Fairchild was a business visitor in Frankfort last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Price and grandson Charles Michael Price and Ollie McClain spent Wednesday in Lexington.

Staff Sgt. William Wilson has just returned to America after serving two years in England in the U.S. Air Force and arrived in Morgan Tuesday to visit relatives at Cannel City. He is on leave between enlistments.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Claypool of Louisville were week end visitors of Mrs. Jesse Carver. The Claypools have been spending two weeks in Florida.

W. E. Bentley attended church at Bethel Chapel Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilson and Dr. and Mrs. Ward of Bourbon county were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wells and Mrs. Victor McKenzie visited Miss Oleta McKenzie at Morehead college Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Davis was honored in Bradenton, Florida, with a pot luck supper on her 50th birthday March 14 in the lobby of the apartment house by the other occupants. Pauls Bakery presented her with a beautiful cake and she received other gifts and flowers. The group expressed hopes that all could meet again next winter from their various homes in the north.

County Judge Reed Halsey, County Attorney Ren F. Nickell, and Royman B. Gose, resident engineer of the Highway Department, were in Frankfort last Wednesday at the Highway Commissioner's office in regard to the Salem-Stacy Fork road and other roads in Morgan county.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gose were in Lexington Monday to Doctor Ballard for medical attention for Mrs. Gose's throat. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Carter at Frankfort Monday night.

The following motored to Lexington Sunday to visit Earl May who is a patient in Julius Marks Sanatorium: Mrs. Earl May, Mrs. Mary May, Mary Evelyn May, Mrs. J. A. Oldfield, Frankie Oldfield, Parker May, and Anna Ruth May. They also visited Mrs. Herbert Lawrence Rose who also is a patient there.

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Mrs. Sam Spencer and Miss Edna Mae Spencer have returned from a visit in Lexington, Wilmore and Harrodsburg.

The following from West Liberty motored to Booneville Tuesday evening and attended the revival service that night at the Methodist church which Rev. W. M. Pope is conducting: Mrs. H. B. Murray, Mrs. Stanley Gullett, Mrs. W. M. Pope, Mrs. Bruce Fairchild, Mrs. Wm. Tolson, Jo Ann and Katie Tolson, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Day. Large crowds are attending the revival and the community is receiving a real blessing, they report. The meeting will be concluded Friday.

Mrs. Stella Fannin of West Liberty and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Carr of Morehead returned Wednesday from Bradenton, Fla., where they had spent the past five months.

Mrs. Irene Holmes of Louisville is visiting her daughter here, Mrs. Jean Hanev.

R. C. Day received a letter this week from her daughter, Miss Virginia C. Day from Chicopee Falls, Mass., where she was awaiting a plane to fly to Weisbaden, Germany. She has been in Massachusetts since March 19 but due to bad weather had not been able to get a flight.

The following from West Liberty went to Irvine Sunday and attended the funeral of Kendall Gambill, Irvine groceryman and native of Morgan, who died last Friday: Lonnie Gambill, Bill Patrick, Ida Gambill, Ray Gambill, Gene Gambill, Jesse Gambill, Kermit Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Day of West Liberty, enlisted in the Army March 9 and has been assigned to Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, for his basic training.

Atty. and Mrs. J. Blaine Nickell, accompanied by their grandchildren Margaret Lynn and Jamie Wells, went to Tampa, Fla. March 16 to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nickell for two weeks.

Mrs. Ada Hutchinson Roseberry of Homestead, Florida and Mrs. Addie Conley of Springfield, Ohio are in West Liberty on business for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Long of Wayland visited Mrs. Long's Sanatorium: Mrs. Earl May, Mrs. Mary May, Mary Evelyn May, Mrs. J. A. Oldfield, Frankie Oldfield, Parker May, and Anna Ruth May. They also visited Mrs. Herbert Lawrence Rose who also is a patient there.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright of Ohio were guests of Mrs. Wright's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Jenia, Friday. They were accompanied by Mary Lou Prater.

Kathy Rose Black and Sharon Reed were enjoying ice cream Tuesday afternoon at Floyd Gabbard's Sundry store. Kathy is 16 months old and Sharon is 3½ years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Allen entertained to dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McClain, Mrs. Addie McClain and Gus McClain. Clarence Black and Jerry Rudolph Franklin attended the basketball tournament in Lexington last week.

Mrs. Helen Black has been unable to work this week because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Amyn and Mrs. Clay McKenzie visited Mr. and Mrs. Denver Stapleton at Ashland Sunday. Mrs. McKenzie remained for a longer visit with her daughter.

Mrs. and Mr. Drexel Vest spent some time in Lexington last week attending the tournament.

Ben F. Kennard of Matthew was a business visitor in West Liberty Thursday.

D. R. Keeton of Ashland and Mrs. Hattie Williams of West Liberty spent Sunday afternoon in Elliott county.

H. A. Spurlock and family of Morehead spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. L. Spurlock and sister, Emma of West Liberty.

Avonell Caskey has measles. Her son, Sebastian, W. B. Lane, Glenn Lacy, Warren Lane, Russell Lane and Prichard Caskey attended the Northeastern Kentucky Hereford sale at Flemingsburg Thursday.

Burial At Ezel For Stanley M. Ward

Stanley M. Ward, 60, retired insurance agent, died Friday night in a nursing home in Louisville. He was a son of W. T. Ward of Ezel.

Funeral was conducted in the Ezel Presbyterian church Monday with Rev. Henry A. Stovall officiating, and interment was made in the Ezel cemetery.

Besides the father he is survived by three daughters, a son, Mrs. Madge Smith and Mrs. Paul Richardson of Winchester, and Mrs. Francis Hamilton of Washington C. H., Ohio; one son, Stanley K. Ward, Ezel, Ohio, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Edna Patrick, Ezel; Mrs. Martin Ledford, Paint Lick; Mrs. Hise Tudor, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.; Charles W. and Charles Ward, Ezel; Marshall Ward, Pekin; Carl C. Ward, Detroit, Mich.

Sales Report Of The Farmers Stock Yards At Flemingsburg, Ky.

March 21, 1953—
HOGS — Packers 20.40; Sows 17.10 to 20.50; Stock Hogs 18.50 to 25.80; Sows and Pigs 67 to 123.50; Shoats 8 to 16.25.

CATTLE — Steers 16 to 20.40; Heifers 17 to 20.10; Baby Beeves 18 to 20.50; Cutter Cows 10.50 to 11.90; Fat Cows 12.60 to 14.40; Springers, Fresh Cows 105.00 to 210; Bulls 16.50 to 18.75; Stock Steers 64 to 105; Stock Heifers 65 to 97.50; Cows and Calves 97 to 224; Stock Bulls 115 to 154; Stockers 64 to 105.

SHEEP and LAMBS — Medium Ewes and Bucks 18.00. CALVES — Top Veals 27.05; Medium 21.50; Common and Ige. 19 to 25.

GRADUATES AT CAMP LEE
FORT LEE, Va.—Pvt. Stanley Adkins, whose parents reside at Lenox, Ky., graduated from the shoe repair course offered by the Quartermaster School at Fort Lee, Va., March 21.

Pvt. Adkins entered service in October, 1952. He has been attending this school ten weeks.

One hundred or more Hopkins county 4-H'ers learned about electricity at schools sponsored by the REA and Kentucky Utilities Company.

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Cub Scouts Visit Old Home of Col. Williams

The West Liberty Cub Scouts chaperoned by Den Mother Mrs. Alec Spencer and Bernard E. Whitt visited the old home of Col. John T. Williams on Williams Creek Monday afternoon.

They saw the old chimney and part of the building which had been built 150 years ago. The Scouts, age 8 to 12 years, were thrilled with the visit and looked about the building for Indians and hidden treasures. Bruce Williams, a relative of Col. Williams had his picture made with the boys.

Cub Scouts making the trip were Joe Stacy Wells, Den Chief; Freddie Rose, Joe Nickell, Tony Meade, Roger Rose, Sammy Long, Jerry Brown, Donald Ester, Danny McKenzie, Darrell Spencer, Ronnie Allen, Asa Vest, Joey Childers, Jimmie Fannin, Richard Gose and Danny McClain.

JUNIOR SOCIETY MEETS
The Junior Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon. Hostesses were Pam Perry and Jo Ann Tolson. The meeting was called to order by Vice President Helen C. Stafford. Members stood and repeated the Lord's Prayer and sang "If Jesus Goes With Us."

Next meeting will be at the church with Anna Lee Nickell and Mary Janice Halsey as co-hostesses.

Refreshments were served to Betty Halsey, Helen C. Stafford, Nancy Gardner, Mary G. Burton, Pam Perry, Judy Ruth, Patty Stratton, Barbara Stamper, Linda C. Emrick, Caroleen Sheets, Anna Lee Nickell, Mary Janice Halsey, Priscilla Rose, Gene Hanev and Melvyn Gardner.

LACY CREEK 4-H NEWS
The Lacy Creek 4-H Club met at the school. Parts of the program were divided among the school children and 4-H club members. The program was on These Teeth of Ours.

Visitors were Kermit Lewis, Buster Lemaster, Paris Lewis, Mrs. Adams, eleven 4-H club members, 14 school children, Mr. Dixon and the leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Conley.

Mr. Dixon taught songs and reviewed members on the talent and style show and rally day.

AMBULANCE CALLS WEST LIBERTY FUNERAL HOME
March 25—Mrs. Milford Whitt and baby from Gullett-Spencer Clinic to her home near town.

Chief Justice of the United States' salary is \$25,500.

MRS. ANNA WATTS DIES

Mrs. Anna Watts, 48, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Cottle of West Liberty, died in a hospital in Columbia, Mississippi, Thursday morning. She had been ill since October. Burial and funeral services will be in Columbia.

Portsmouth Couple Natives of Morgan, Are Wed 60 Years

The family of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Bailey gathered at the Bailey home at 2313 Chas. St., Portsmouth, O. on the couple's 60th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey were married March 15, 1893 at what at that time was Henry, Ky. They moved from Morgan county in 1907 and since that time have lived in and near Portsmouth, O.

They are the parents of four children and one foster son, three grandchildren and three great-grandsons.

Those attending the celebration and the covered dish dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. W. Powell Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ranshous, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton VanCuren, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bailey and Mrs. Bailey's brother, Walter M. Henry of Kenova, W. Va. On account of illness Mrs. Pearl Wellman of Dayton, O. could not be present.

PINE GROVE
(By Josephine Trimble)

March 22—Cassius Hamilton of Middletown, O., was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gevedon of Grassy Creek were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Motley.

Mr. Robert Nickell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Salyers of Bonny Sunday.

Joe Trimble was in West Liberty Saturday to see a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Watson of Middletown, Ohio was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Watson.

Willard Collinsworth and Sieb Reid of Dayton, Ohio visited relatives here over the week end.

Henry McCracken of Dayton, Ohio, visited his family here this week end.

Ruth and Ray Lawson spent last week end with friends and relatives at Mt. Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Ward were in Mt. Sterling last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Motley of Virginia spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Marple Fannin.

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Tile Drainage

There is probably no easier way to get another acre of real productive land in Morgan county than to properly drain an acre of wet land. The county agent and Extension Agricultural engineers did the first tile drainage demonstration in Morgan county near Grassy Creek in the Twenties. It has been the job of the county agents through the years to show farmers the value of such practices. When the educational work began to suffer because of the time required to lay out such practices, Soil Conservation Service was set up to help farmers establish drainage and other such soil building and erosion control practices. The PMA set up a payment to help farmers meet the cost of installing tile drainage. It is a pleasure to see the interest of farmers grow until the Soil Conservation Service personnel cannot take care of all the requests. This shows how various agencies work on a single problem of farmers. It illustrates, too, that people should not be misled by propaganda that one agency is the Department of Agriculture's farm program. Each makes its own contribution to the one program—the farmers program and problems. Together, they are helping farmers make progress as is shown by the large number of farmers desiring to install drain tile this year. Berlyn Brown, SCS technician, reports almost 200 tile drainage requests.

Spray Apples for Scale
Apple trees should be sprayed now for scale. Earl Trearay of West Liberty plans to spray his trees at once with 3 percent oil emulsion. It must be applied before the buds open.

Treat Seed Potatoes
Certified seed potatoes will outyield scaled seed by several bushels per acre. Homegrown seed will fall far below certified seed unless the home grown seed were fall grown and carefully stored. It just does not pay to plant anything except certified seed potatoes. It will cost to do so. Buy certified seed at once. In addition, it pays to treat the seed with Semesan Bel to pre-

vent black scurf. Do not use manure or lime on the potato patch. They make the potatoes scabby.

Big Time Coming
The 4-H Clubbers, who celebrate National 4-H Week this week, are planning a real "Big Time" for March 27. Get your ticket and be on hand to give the boys and girls a boost.

WEST LIBERTY HOSPITAL
Hospital Patients

Mrs. Rosa Francis, Royalton
Tommyson Dickerson, of New-foundland
Mrs. Charles Harrah, Salyersville
Mrs. Edward Knutson, Evans-ton
Mrs. Homer Howard, Maggard
Mrs. Andrew Wright, Salyersville

Theodore Keeton, Fannin
Johnny Jones, Pamp
Lige Bailey, City
Mrs. Sarah Watson, Carver
Baby Holland, Hazel Green
Mrs. Olney Havens, Ezel
George W. Litteral, White Oak
William McGuire, Morehead

Patients Dismissed
Robert Brown, City
Willard Prince, Sandy Hook
Anna Crucey, Nickell
Jake Adkins, Redwine
Mrs. Jeff Prater, Salyersville
Mrs. John Roseberry, S. Hook
Miss Rachael Daniels, Dingus
Sharon Crase, Cannel City
Victor McKenzie, Licking River
J. C. Waldron, Evanston
Mrs. John Nickell, Insko
Mrs. Walter Potter, Cottle
Richard C. Boyd, Paintsville
George Bailey, Evanston
Mrs. George Skages, Ibex

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Edward Elam, 31, son of Ben Elam of Grassy Creek, and Dorothy Bush, 18, daughter of Courtney Bush of Trent.

Dewey Wright, 36, son of Willie Wright of West Liberty, and Ruie Coffee, 22, daughter of Harvey Coffee of West Liberty.

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MAYTOWN LODGE CONFERS DEGREE

MAYTOWN, Ky., March 23—(By Mabel Williams)—Saturday night, March 14, the Maytown P. & A. M. No. 656 conferred the Master Mason degree on Joe Childers of Ashland. For the invitation Bro. S. H. Lykins, a 50-year member of Greenville lodge No. 655, presided in the East. Beaver lodge No. 305, Mispah lodge No. 507, Cox lodge No. 484, Ezel lodge No. 655, Salt Lick No. 862 were represented. Supper for the occasion was sponsored by Mr. Childers and was prepared and served by the ladies of the O.E.S. chapter, assisted by mothers and wives of Masons. Some one hundred and fifteen persons were served and enjoyed a social hour together. Joe was born and raised here and is now an employee of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway company, and a son of the late R. A. Childers who was one of the first members of Maytown lodge No. 656. He is the youngest of six brothers, three of whom, namely Bill, Bob and Wick took membership in Maytown lodge. His mother was a member of the O.E.S. chapter which was in order here several years ago and was later discontinued. He is a brother of Aunt Sarah Ingram of this place.

Church Service March 29
Rev. Menifee Trent will hold services here Sunday, March 29, and on that date the people of the community will organize a Sunday school. Everyone is invited.

Personals
Mrs. Stanley Clark of Beattyville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nora Gilley and family here, for an indefinite time.

Wilbur Wilson, and wife are now living in the Curtis Stammer property while they are tearing down their old home and building a new one.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bailey and children left Monday for Dayton, Ohio, where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mays and Mrs. Doris Ingram visited Mrs. Lillie Nickell and Mildred in Lexington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Debusk attended a house raising at Mrs. Lella McKinney's Thursday.

MURPHY FORK
(By Miss Nancy Hurst)

March 16—Mrs. J. M. Cecil and Miss Nancy Hurst attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fugate and Mrs. Bertie Fugate. The dinner was in honor of C. A. Fugate's birthday.

Rev. Dewey Havens of Dawson Springs was a dinner guest Friday of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cecil.

Johnny Hurt who has been stationed in Alaska in the Army is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hurt. He will return to Fort Knox March 25.

Rev. Glenn Lawson will preach March 22 at the Murphy Fork church at 10:30.

Miss Day On Special Duty In Germany

Miss Virginia C. Day, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Day of West Liberty, will fly from Westover AFB, Mass. via VIP Military Air Transport Service airplane to Wiesbaden, Germany for an extended tour of duty in civilian capacity with the U. S. Air Force, Air Technical Intelligence Agency. She anticipates making a complete tour of Europe before returning to the U. S.

Miss Day was graduated from the Morgan County high school in May 1948 and attended Sinclair College and the University of Dayton. She was previously employed as a secretary at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

Her room mates, Misses Kaye Shank and Selma Earles will accompany Miss Day to Westover, Mass. for a bon voyage party given by Colonel and Mrs. J. T. Poltrook.

KELLEYCEY

(By Mrs. Buford Mays)
March 23—Wayne Dunn, Middletown, O., conducted services at the schoolhouse Sunday morning and a baptismal service.

Raymond Rich and Kathy of Tipp City, Ohio, and Harold Rich of Dayton, O. spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Buford Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mann and son and daughter of Pikeville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mann, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Craft and daughter of Middletown, O. visited Mr. and Mrs. Ova Peyton and family over the week end.

Bennie Dunn of Berea College visited his parents last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Prater of White Oak and Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Cox of West Liberty attended services Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Volney Cox.

The General Electric Co. at West Liberty delivered Buford Mays a deep freezer Thursday evening.

LICKING RIVER
March 23—Mrs. Burton Fugate is ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fugate.

Miss Oleta McKenzie of Morehead College spent the week end with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Phipps of Miamisburg, O. spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wells and Mrs. J. B. Wells called on Mrs. Noah Greear at Greear Sunday.

Mrs. Greear is very ill.

B. J. Couch of Fairborn, Ohio, spent the week end with his parents here.

Breck Couch who has been visiting his sons in Fairborn, Ohio, and brother Dewey Couch the past week, returned home Saturday.

Victor McKenzie stayed in the hospital awhile after having some teeth extracted, but is all right now.

Miss Patricia Wells of West Liberty spent Saturday night at this place with home folks.

CARTER

(By H. B. Dixon)
March 23—Paul Henry of Middletown, Ohio, visited home folks over the week end.

We just had a letter from Mrs. Dixon, regular correspondent now visiting in Savannah, Ga., saying she had just returned from wading in the Atlantic.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Denniston and daughter of Middletown, Ohio, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Denniston, Sr., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carter and daughter and Roland Ferguson visited Mathy Wells and family of Licking River Sunday afternoon.

Russell Henry has a severe case of measles.

Tom Lovelace has moved to the Leonard Havens place recently vacated by E. E. Sheets who moved to the Bluegrass.

Mrs. W. K. Henry of Bonny who was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital at Lexington Sunday is improving nicely.

Harlan Denniston of Middletown, Ohio, visited his parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Fugate, Jr. of Dayton, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Denniston over the week end.

PROGRESSIVE CLUB MEET
The Progressive Homemakers Club met at Ezel in March at the home of Mrs. Herbert Murphy.

Devotional was by Mrs. Fred Mays. The lesson on finishing new and old picture frames was given by Mrs. D. W. Ingram and Mayme Brown. Mr. Dixon gave a talk on gardening which was very interesting.

The thought of the month, "Home" by Selma Johnson Baker was read by Mrs. Ingram.

Those present were Mesdames Ray Cox, D. W. Ingram, C. S. Jackson, J. B. Murphy, Harold Rose, Marion Rowland, Eli McGuire, Carl Murphy, Martha Motley, Fred Mays, W. D. Brown, S. D. Cecil, and visitors Mrs. Dillard Murphy and Mrs. Marpie Fannin.

The hostess served spice cake, ice cream, coffee and tea.

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Pursuant to the orders of the Morgan County Court, notice is hereby given that I will sell the hereinafter described real estate at the front door of the Court House on the highest and best bidder on a credit of 6 months at 1:00 o'clock p.m. April 6, 1953.

Said tract of land is situate in Morgan county, Kentucky, and on the waters of Little Black Water and further described as follows:

Beginning at a spanish oak and white oak on the foot of a ridge; thence N 20 W 44 poles to a black gum and two white oaks; thence S 65 W 48 poles to a white oak and black gum on a ridge; thence S 42 W 67 poles to two dogwoods and large white oak; thence S 15 E 28 poles to a black gum and white oak; thence S 54 E 60 poles; thence S 38 E 14 poles to a large white oak; thence S 50 E 48 poles to two large pines; thence S 58 poles to three white oaks and black gum on the bank of Black Water Creek; thence down said creek N 30 E 26 poles; thence N 57 E 10

poles; N 29 E 40 poles to a white oak; thence N 54 W 5 poles to a rock, a conditional corner between W. J. Ingram and J. N. Ingram; thence N 48 1/2 W 74 poles to a double red oak; thence N 37 1/2 E 9 poles to a rock; thence N 48 W 23 1/2 poles to a persimmon; thence S 57 W 9 poles to a rock; thence N 27 W 23 poles to the beginning, containing 100 acres, more or less.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond to the Master Commissioner for the amount of the purchase price dated as of the date of sale, bearing interest at 6% per annum from date until paid and will also give ample security or sureties for the payment of said bond.

The purchaser will be permitted at his option to pay cash for the purchase price, including any accumulated interest from date of sale.

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(By Mrs. Junior Penix)
March 16—Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Pack and son Junior were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Ritchie of Dayton, O.

Lloyd and Lillie Lykins who have been living in Morrow, O., have moved to the Dewey Arnett house.

On the sick list have been Mrs. Kennie Brown, Mrs. R. M. Pack, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGraw.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kelly of Akron, O., were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kennard.

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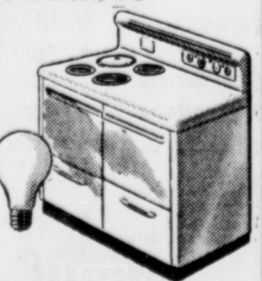
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LEISURE STORE

(By Dora Cassidy)
March 16—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Holbrooks, Harold, Mike and Jean of Middletown, O., and Henry Watkins of West Liberty were recent guests of Reel Sargent.

Rev. Duncan of West Liberty conducted baptismal Sunday in the presence of a large crowd. Baptized was Delbert Thornberry of Blairs Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodrick Abrams and Dwayne of Middletown, O., visited here and at Morehead the week end.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cassidy were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Abrams and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cassidy, Paris Slusher, Morehead, Lester Lamber of Clearfield, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hardin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Keaton and daughter and others also were callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cassidy of near Morehead are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cassidy and children.

Mrs. W. C. Easterling and Mrs. T. E. Cassidy who have been ill are improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Taulby Sargent and children of Ohio are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Sargent and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Black and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Swim and children of Detroit, Michigan, visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Easterling.

Mrs. J. W. Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sargent and Miss Bonnie Harding and Billie Harding were shopping in West Liberty today.

Salaries of Members of Congress are \$12,500, plus \$2,500 tax free expense money.

BLAZE—LEWIS-HANEY VOWS TOLD

BLAZE, Ky., March 15—(By Miss Marjorie Lewis)—Miss Anna Vernon Lewis and Ray Gene Hanev were married Wednesday, March 11. She is the daughter of Clarence and Tina Lewis of Blaze. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hanev of Paragon. Mr. Hanev is employed at Detroit, Mich., where they plan to make their home.

Birth of Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Libern Bowman are the proud parents of a daughter Brenda, weight seven pounds and four ounces. Mrs. Bowman is the former Lillian Ison Hunt.

Personals
Lennil C. Lewis of River Rouge was a Saturday afternoon guest of Miss Marjorie Lewis.

Byron Callahan got his call to be examined for the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hunt and son have moved back to their home here from Mansfield, O. Emerson Brown of Dayton, O., visited last week his mother, Mrs. T. A. Brown.

Denzil Hunt, Byron, McKinley Callahan of Mansfield visited home folks last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Taulbee Sargent and Leatha Von Black are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Black of Big Lick.

Winice Sargent made a business trip to Fairborn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Adams and Mary Sargent of Ohio visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Autie Sargent last week end.

Lena Faye Ison is visiting her sister, Mrs. Libern Bowman, in Indiana.

On the sick list here are Mrs. McKinley Callahan, Mrs. Autie Sargent, Mrs. Winfred Lewis and the small son of Cecil Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Lewis have bought the Hannah Perry farm near Blaze.

It is estimated that 75 farmers in Elliott county will follow the cow-and-calf plan of raising beef cattle.

JEFFERSONVILLE (By Treva Hanev)

March 16—Mrs. Wigg Williams and Diann of Louisville spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lucy Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Elam and granddaughter Betty, and Edward Elam and friend Dorothy Bush, Mrs. Sam Hanev and Mr. and Mrs. James Clay spent the week end with relatives in Middletown, Ohio, and Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Clay of Hazard were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Clay.

Mrs. Gladys Rogers and Barbara visited in Hamilton, Ohio, recently.

Edward Elam and girl friend and Mrs. Ben Elam and granddaughter of Grassy, Clarence Hanev of Stacy Fork were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Clay and Mrs. Sam Hanev Tuesday.

ELK FORD (By Anna E. Adkins)

March 16—Mrs. Ellen Ferguson is very ill of asthma.

Danny C. Williams, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Williams, is very sick and in the West Liberty Hospital.

Herbert Mullins from Straight Creek is in Paintsville Hospital where he was operated on Friday for appendicitis and is getting along very well. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mullins, and Mrs. Mullins is sick also.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Adkins had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Whitt and five daughters, Rubie, Reva, Rae, Rosa Lee and Naomi.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adkins moved from Elkfork to a farm he bought of Lan Lyons near Crockett.

Bennie Adkins and small son Scotty from Fairborn, O., visited with his father and mother last Saturday.

Mrs. Rexton Whitt visited her mother, Mrs. John Mullins from Thursday until Sunday while her father was with her brother at Paintsville Hospital.

Jessamine county homemakers bought 94 cherry stools on which they learned to refinish wood and weave seats.



Taulbee-Amyx Vows Of March 4 Are Told

Mr. and Mrs. Wilgus Taulbee of Stacy Fork announce the marriage of their daughter, Mattie Alice Taulbee to S-Sgt. Lindbergh Amyx, U.S.M.C., on Wednesday, March 4, at West Liberty.

The single ring ceremony took place in the Methodist parsonage with the Rev. Wm. Pope officiating. Jerald Amyx served as best man and Mrs. Jerald Amyx was matron of honor.

The bride chose for her wedding an orchid suit with navy accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds.

The new Mrs. Amyx is a graduate of Cannel City high school and at present is employed at Gullett-Spencer Clinic.

The groom attended Morgan County high school and is now serving with the United States Marine Corps in San Diego, California.

After a short wedding trip to Lexington, Ky., S-Sgt. Amyx returned to California and Mrs. Amyx returned to West Liberty where she will reside at present.

OMER (By Mrs. G. Lawson)

March 23—D. L. Williams was brought home from St. Joseph's Hospital Wednesday and remains very ill.

Henry Patterson went to Lexington Friday to undergo an operation.

Rev. Glenn Lawson filled his appointment at Murphy Fork Sunday and after church he and family enjoyed dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oldfield.

Earl Vest has purchased a new truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lawson and family were shopping in Mt. Sterling Saturday.

ELDER (By Mrs. Volney Cox)

March 16—Benjamin Dunn of Berea College visited his parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Stamper and son of Camargo visited her mother, Mrs. Ida Lewis, over the week end.

Velma Holbrook has measles. Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Carpenter and children, Mrs. Lena Lovely and two children of Ohio and Mrs. Norma Wells visited Mrs. Nancy Peyton and Gene the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mann of Kellacy visited Mr. and Mrs. Estill Leach Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Lovelace of Omer is visiting relatives in Lexington this week end.

Sam Dunn and Maxwell Cox were in Mt. Sterling Wednesday. Wayne Dunn of Middletown, O., will conduct services at Payton school at 10 o'clock Mar. 22.

Kelly Cox and son Bobby of Mt. Sterling visited his mother, Mrs. M. A. Cox of Kellacy, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Conley and family of Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Ora Holbrook Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shilo Vest, West Liberty, visited relatives at Kellacy on Sunday.

NICKELL (By Mrs. Grace Hanev)

March 16—B. F. Steele who was taken to a Lexington hospital last week for treatment has returned home improved.

Sarah and Joe Peyton of Greer were week end guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Raney.

Anna Byrd of Phoenix, Ariz., and Dorsey Byrd of Michigan are visiting their mother, Mrs. Cynthia Byrd, who is seriously ill.

Larry Hanev of Malone was the week end guest of his cousin M. C. Hanev.

Marie Elam, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Elam who got her hand burned, was taken to the doctor at West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Pratt of Leatherwood visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Elam and Mrs. John Barker.

William Hanev was in town Thursday for medical aid. Church is conducted at Centerville the first Saturday in each month.

A TRIBUTE

A tribute of love to the precious memory of our husband and father, NOAH VOLLEY ELAM, who passed away three years ago March 30—

You left a beautiful memory. A story too great to be told; But to us who loved and lost you, Your memory will never grow old.

—Devoted Wife and Children

TWENTYSIX (By Lenora Perry)

March 16—Mr. and Mrs. Ova Hatten and Norman of Middletown, O., were guests Saturday afternoon of Miss Deloris Smith.

Miss Ruth Schneider of Hamilton, Ohio, Miss Irene Frazee and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Rice and sons of Millville, Ohio, were the Sunday guests of J. A. Smith.

Earl D. Smith of Middletown, O., spent the week end with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rowland and Wyck Smith were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hume of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ross and son were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross of Dehart and called on Jose Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Hampton were Sunday guests of his parents at Mize.

Mr. and Mrs. Carta Carpenter and Kenny Ruth called on Miss Marcia Tarrant at West Liberty Sunday evening.

Lenora Perry was a Saturday night guest of Jewell Gamble of West Liberty.

FLORESSES (By Edna Cox Lewis)

March 16—Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bolin moved last week to the property of Mattie Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lewis and Bee Williams went to Salsersville Friday for a checkup by Dr. Hall.

Mrs. Nannie Williams is visiting her daughter in Perry county.

Aunt Mary McGuire moved recently to her new home.

The new house of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bolin is almost completed.

The county agent was here last week surveying for Stanley Hanev and E. E. Oney who are planning to tile their low land.

Ova Pelfrey and Henry Cox went to Rush Branch Saturday after a truck load of coal.

Mrs. Mattie Williams of Dayton, O., and Mrs. Lizzie Pack of Cottle were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bolin here.

STACY FORK (By Jessie E. Stacy)

March 16—Pvt. Dee Hanev of Fort Knox is spending a few days here with his parents and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Gullett were Saturday evening guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stacy at Greer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Stacy and family of Dayton, O., spent last week end here and at Grassy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Hanev of Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Lennil Hanev and family of Franklin, O., spent last week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hanev and Clarence.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hanev visited relatives here last week.

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Political Announcements

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Subject to action of Democratic Party Aug. 1, 1953. By doing so you are supporting a man who is honest, sober, qualified and trustworthy. (Pol. Adv.)

We are authorized to announce Wm. (Billy) SMITH as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer of Morgan county at the Primary Election Saturday, Aug. 1.

We are authorized to announce RUFUS A. ISON as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for MAGISTRATE Dist. No. 2 at the Primary Election Aug. 1, 1953. Your vote will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce AUSTIN HILL as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for COUNTY COURT CLERK at the Primary Election Aug. 1, 1953. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce BENNIE H. PATRICK of West Liberty as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for JAILER

At the Primary Election Aug. 1, 1953. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce LOONNIE SMITH as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for SHERIFF at the primary election Aug. 1, 1953. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

We are authorized to announce REN F. NICKELL as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for COUNTY ATTORNEY at the Primary Election Aug. 1, 1953.

We are authorized to announce W. P. (Bill) Henry as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for MAGISTRATE DIST. 4 at the Primary Election Aug. 1, 1953.

We are authorized to announce AARON LYKINS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for SHERIFF at the Primary Election Aug. 1, 1953.

We are authorized to announce ARNA SALLYER of White Oak as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for JAILER at the Primary election Aug. 1, 1953. 3-19-4td

We are authorized to announce EDGAR RUDD as a candidate for the Republican nomination for COUNTY COURT CLERK at the Primary Election Aug. 1, 1953. 3-26-2t

CORRECTION
Rev. Fred Penniston officiated at the funeral of Beckham McClure's child instead of Rev. M. B. Whit as was printed recently.

In order to be president of the U. S., a person must have been born here and be a citizen, be at least 35 years old, and have been a resident within the U. S. 14 years.

OBITUARY

DAY

Marie Litteral Day was born in Breathitt county, Kentucky, Nov. 25, 1929, and died March 11, 1953 at the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington, while going through with an operation for tumor of the brain.

She is the daughter of Finley Litteral and Meeda Taulbee Litteral of Caney, and the granddaughter of Frank and Martelia Back Taulbee of Malone, and McClellan and Mary Taulbee Litteral of Wilhurst.

Marie has one brother, Ray, who is in the United States Army in Korea, two sisters, Lucille and Wilma, at home. She was married to Billie Day of West Liberty February 10, 1951. To this union was born one son, Danny Ray, who was one month and nine days old at the time of her death.

Marie was graduated from the Cannel City high school in May 1948. Later she made many lasting friends while working in West Liberty at May's and Elam's Restaurants.

Marie and Billie made their home in West Liberty and they not only had a beautiful home but a home of peace, love, and contentment and was a pattern for all young husbands and wives. During her short married life she did not forget to come home often to be with her dad, mother, brother and sisters whom she cherished highly.

Her father- and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Day and her only sister-in-law Betty were greatly loved and respected by her.

Though doctors say that Marie had probably been suffering from the tumor that caused her death since early childhood, she still seemed to enjoy life and made friends wherever she was. Doctors say she was paralyzed in one side and blind for a week, yet she bore these afflictions with great patience and without complaint.

Marie's life was so short on earth and it is hard to give up our friends in their youth, but great lives are not measured by the length of time we stay on the earth but by what we are and what we did while we were on the earth.

None of us, her friends should ever forget or be too busy or too idle to give her only child Godly advice. It will miss the most precious of earthly gifts, the love of a mother. May the God of all grace be a companion to her husband and comfort him, and may the guardian angel of mercy hover close by her brother and protect him and when this sad news reaches him may he be able to put his trust in Him that sticketh closer than brother.

We are looking through a glass darkly today. We know in part and we hope in part.

While Marie's body is beautifully sleeping in our presence today her trust that her soul during the hours of death was washed whiter than the snow and that she is in that beautiful heavenly country. There we hope to meet Marie dressed in a white robe, with a palm in her hand and a harp in her mouth, where there will be no orphans, no weeping parents, no hospitals, no aching pains, no dying—but rejoicing as ceaseless ages roll on.

Teacher Requirement Policy Is Re-Enacted

FRANKFORT, Ky., March 21—The State Board of Education's announced decision allowing elementary teachers with two years of college work to teach next fall in effect continues its present policy.

The board has modified an earlier ruling which would have required elementary teachers to have a four-year college degree. The board voted to approve as teacher training institutions 14 junior colleges which offer two-year courses and to create a temporary certificate for those with two years of college work. The certificate is valid for two years and can be renewed once.

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Mrs. Elsie Lacy, Grassy Creek, Ky. has written two poems on contrasting subjects. One of them is titled "Winter" and was published in M.M. January 22. The other poem "Springtime," is given below. Compare the two poems and see how well Mrs. Lacy has captured the charm of these two subjects.

SPRINGTIME

Don't you feel the touch of "spring"?
I can feel its breezy wing;
See its floating clouds and sun
And I know that it is spring.
Don't you hear the bees a-humming?

And the humming bird's low drumming?
When the earth is all aglow,
We know that it is spring.
Don't you see the tender grass
And the buds shoot forth at last?

This is beauty rarely found
Except when it is spring.
Don't you feel the April showers
And see the gently-bursting flowers

With their beauty so sublime—
The beauty of the spring?

FARMERS TO PLANT 42,000 SEEDLINGS

By Berlyn Brown

Forty-two thousand pine, yellow poplar and black locust trees will be set in this county this spring. These trees are to be used for reforestation for timber production and erosion control.

There are many thousands of acres of land in Morgan county that are unsuited for pasture due to severe erosion, steepness of slope or rocky condition that should be planted to trees. Pines and yellow poplar are fast-growing and should be planted extensively. Both species make pulp wood and high grade lumber. Pines will also make post and utility poles which are in great demand.

There are areas on nearly every farm where trees could be profitably interplanted among the other trees or set solid. The trees are very inexpensive, 40c to 60c per hundred, and two men can plant 1200 to 1500 per day.

The following farmers in this county have purchased from 500 to 7000 trees each from the State Division of Forestry:

Prichard Caskey and Walter Potter, West Liberty, Boyd Anderson, B. H. Murphy and Wentzel Bros., Ezel, Ernest Lewis, Wrigley, Marie Ellis, Lenox, Earl Adkins and Jerry Skaggs, Elkfork, Leonard Holbrook, Jephtha, Leonard DeBoard and Ralph Byrd of Malone and Paul B. Lacy and Curtis M. Lykins, Stacy Fork. These farmers plan to plant these trees on about 45 acres.

Wallace Returns Here

Harold R. Wallace, who was employed by the Soil Conservation Service through funds allotted by PMA last year, is again working with the district. Harold will assist Berlyn Brown, work unit conservationist, in surveying and applying conservation practices in the county. Harold was married last December to the former Miss Bernice Jones, the daughter of Mrs. Frances Jones, Adele. We are glad to have Mr. Wallace back on our staff. Harold is a brother to H. A. Wallace, soil scientist with the Soil Conservation Service, West Liberty, who was formerly a teacher with the veterans on the farm training program in Morgan county.

19-Year-Olds To Be Called For Service

Selective service director Lewis B. Hershey announced in Washington Saturday that it will be necessary to commence calling up 19-year-old selectees soon.

The military power pool is low and already some local boards are drafting 19-year-olds after exhausting their manpower pool in other categories.

Hershey intends to ask for the tightened deferments for college students and fathers. Stiffer requirements would hit the college freshmen hardest.

Don't you hear the birds a-singing
And the cow bells ting-a-ling-ling,
Or the whispering of the pines,
Telling us that it is spring?

Don't you hear the water splash
Following the barefoot dash
Of the eager feet of youth
Who rush to greet the spring?

Let mortal man enjoy these days
And bask beneath the sun's warm rays
When God and Mother Nature give
The paradise of spring.

CANNEL CITY

(By Margaret W. Phipps)
March 24—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cox of Ashland visited Mrs. Cox's sister, Mrs. Clyde Cottle and family last Saturday.

Thomas DeBorde of South Dakota visited his brother, James, and family over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Osborne and Joyce were at West Liberty Saturday.

Maynard Phipps who has rheumatic fever is doing very well but must remain in bed.

Jim DeBorde and son James and family spent a day last week with his brother at Paintsville.

Gladstone Brown and Billy of Salyersville visited his sister, Mrs. John W. Elam and family Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cunningham and son of Cincinnati visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie King and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wells here.

Eugene Osborne of Pikeville visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Osborne the week end.

Hager Phipps is ill this week. Mrs. Hager Phipps and Mrs. Charlie Fallon attended a stork show last Thursday given at the home of Mrs. Ken Thompson of Helechwah for Mrs. Marie Hall.

Carlisle Sebastian of Ohio visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Press Sebastian, over the week end.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Phipps Sunday night were Cpl. and Mrs. Ray Haney and son, Mr. Cora Haney and daughter Gladys, Ima Haney and Johnnie Peyton.

Mrs. Roy Phipps, Mrs. Hager Phipps, Mrs. Clara Fallon, Elbert Phipps and Charlie Fallon were at West Liberty Saturday.

James DeBorne took Mrs. Walter Howard to Ashland Wednesday of last week to see her husband who is in a sanatorium.

YOCUM

(By Cassie Lewis)
March 23—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Craycraft and Mrs. Mattie Lewis of Ashland were dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis and Janet Lewis.

Mrs. Ruth DeVore of Fairborn is visiting her father, Math Lewis of this place.

Mrs. Gay Fairchild of Ohio visited her father, Math Lewis, last Thursday.

Luther Click, Jr. of Wrigley has moved his sawmill on Jim Frank Engle's farm here and has started operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mann of Pikeville were calling on friends and relatives here Sunday. Mary A. Engle returned with them as far as West Liberty where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Jas. A. Hurley, a few weeks.

Warnie Howard of Middletown and Denzil Howard of Dayton spent the week end with their mother, Ella Howard.

Burkett Quicksall has returned from a visit at Fairborn.

MURPHY FORK

(By Miss Nancy Hurst)
March 23—Mrs. J. M. Cecil, Miss Nancy Hurst and Vernie Cecil were shopping in West Liberty Wednesday.

C. T. Phillips, John Hurt and Fred Hurt were in West Liberty on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cecil were in Mt. Sterling Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hurt visited in Ohio this week.

John Hurt who has been stationed in Alaska, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hurt.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN

Rev. Russell Brown of Index and other ministers will commence a revival at the old school house at Flatwoods Monday, April 6. Everyone welcome.

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MARION FAULKNER PASSES AT INDEX

Marion Faulkner, 82, died at the home of his son, Rev. Carl Faulkner at Index, Wednesday. He is survived by his wife,

Katherine White Faulkner; seven daughters, Miss Esther Faulkner, a missionary in Southern India, Flossie Oliver, Mary, Ky., Grace Stamper, Columbus, Ohio, Anna Gaddis, Oxford, Mich., Alice Moore, Lake Orion, Mich., Ruth Evans, Fontana, Calif., Marjorie Williams, Niles, Mich.; two sons, Rev. Carl Faulkner of Index and Rev. Willie Faulkner of Breathitt county.

Funeral services will be held at the Methodist church in Camp-ton Friday at 1:30 p.m. Burial will be in Miller cemetery near Camp-ton under direction of the Potter Funeral Home.

POTTER FUNERAL HOME

AMBULANCE CALLS
Mrs. Nora Collins was removed from her home at Grassy Creek to Gullett-Spencer Clinic.

Dillard Williams was removed from St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington, to his home at Toms Branch March 18.

Mrs. Donald Callahan was removed from her home at Blaze to Gullett-Spencer Clinic and returned March 24.

Mrs. Olney Havens was brought from Good Samaritan Hospital to her home at Ezel March 24.

Mrs. Herbert Trayner and Marita Ann and Mrs. Rosalind Emrick were visitors in Lexington Tuesday.

COMMONWEALTH OF KY. DEPT. OF HIGHWAYS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Department of Highways at its office, Frankfort, Kentucky until 10:00 A.M. Central Standard Time on the 10th day of April, 1953, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read for the improvement of:

MORGAN COUNTY, RS 88-318
—The Stacy Fork Road beginning on Ky. 844 at South End of Stacy Fork Road and extending Northwest to Grassy Creek Road and Ky. 205, 2.51 miles. Reconstruction and traffic bound surface.

The attention of the prospective bidders is called to the prequalification requirements and necessity for securing certificate of eligibility, the special provisions covering subletting or assigning the contract and the Department's regulation which prohibits the issuance of proposals after 9:00 A.M. Central Standard Time on the day of the opening of bids. Proposals will not be issued except during official business hours.

NOTE: A purchase charge of \$2.00 will be made for each proposal. Remittance must accompany requests for proposal forms. Refunds will not be made for any reason.

Further information, bidding proposals, et cetera, will be furnished upon application to the Frankfort office. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS
Frankfort, Kentucky
March 19, 1953
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Salary of the U. S. Speaker of the House is \$30,000.



BY SCOTT MEADE

Did you folks catch the recent news release concerning a mid-western judge, age 76, running for re-election? It seems the good judge, a spritely septuagenarian, was nettled by critics who questioned his worth on the grounds of infirmity. Among other things the judge offered to don boxing gloves and step a few fast rounds with his critics. This could lead to something!

If this vote-getting approach should catch on, future years will see our office-seekers sharpening up their timing, developing a potent left hook and learning to ride with the punch. Candidate appeal might be measured by the sportiest tin ear and the biggest gob of scar tissue over the eyes.

Actually, folks, we're only kidding as we have nothing but a lot of admiration for a youngster of 76 who doubtless has the gumption to actually crawl thru the ropes and prove that a citizen who has knocked about for three quarters of a century is still able to carry his own weight.

More power to him! We earnestly hope that you can move on your own power but if you require ambulance service you may phone 143 at any time of the day or night. — West Liberty Funeral Home, 206 Court Street.

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